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Summary

Death in the Charts

	Chart	Key Directions	Notes
*1	James Attersall	**Asc$_d$ ☌ ♄$_d$**	♂ (L8) ✳ Death$_d$ and ☍ Accidents$_r$
*3	Thomas Willoughby	**(♂$_d$ ☌ ♆$_r$) △ ⚳$_d$**	☽$_d$ (L8$_r$ in profected 1st) critical at 0♎ ⚳$_d$ (LoY, rules Death) ✳ ♅$_d$ MC$_d$ ✳ 8$^{th}_r$ 8$^{th}_d$ ☍ ☿$_d$ (L10 in profection) ♆$_d$ △ Accidents$_d$ ♄$_d$ ⚻ Peril$_d$ (mit. power of ☍)
†4	Joseph Kent	(☉$_d$ ☌ ☊$_r$) △ 8$^{th}_r$	8$^{th}_d$ critical at 0♎ **Death$_d$ △ ⚳$_d$ (L8)** **☽$_d$ □ (♃$_d$ ☌ ♆$_r$)**, ♃ co-rules radix Asc
5	Samuel Portwood	**♄$_d$ (L8) ⚻ ♆$_d$** ♅$_d$ □ ♄$_r$ (L8)	**Asc$_d$ ☍ Death$_d$** 11th (Prof Asc) ☌ Peril$_d$ 11th ✳ ☿$_d$ (L4) (mit. △)
6	Richard White	**♅$_d$ □ Illness$_d$**	☉$_d$ critical at 29♒ Asc$_r$ □ ♃$_r$ (L1) △ ☿$_r$ (LOY, rules Death) ♂$_d$ (L8) △ ♄$_r$
†7	Mary Dickinson	☽$_d$ (L8) ☌ ♄$_r$ MC$_d$ ☌ ♅$_r$	**♆$_d$ ☍ Death$_d$** ♃$_d$ (L1) □ Asc$_r$
8	Unknown Female	**☽$_d$ □ (♂$_d$ ☌ ♄$_r$)**	♂ is Asc ruler, Asc ☌ 12th cusp □ ☿ (L8 in rad and prof) ⚳ in 8th ☍ Illness, ☉ (rules Death) ✳ dir 8th
†9	Maria Ferguson	☊$_d$ ☌ **(☉ ☌ ♅)$_d$** ♆$_d$ □ ☽$_r$ (LoY)	(☉ rules Death), ♆ is in the radix 8th Accidents ☍ ♄$_r$ in radix 8th and profected L8
10	Smalley	**(☽$_d$ ☍ Ic$_r$)** **□ Asc$_r$** **□ (♄$_d$ ☌ Asc$_d$)** ♄$_d$ △ ☿$_r$ (L1)	**☿$_d$ ⚺ ♆$_d$ in 8th** MC and Death in critical degrees
11	G.J. Ping	Asc$_d$ △ ☽$_d$ **☿$_d$ (L8) ⚺ ⚳$_d$ (prof L8)**	**⚳$_d$ ⚻ ♃$_d$ (prof L1)** while ⚳$_d$ ☍ ☉$_r$ and □ Death$_r$
12	Miss Anne	**☽$_d$ (L1) ✳ Death$_d$**	**☉$_d$ ☌ ☿$_d$ (prof. L8)** while ♆$_d$ ☍ ☿$_r$
13	Duke of Bordeaux	**8$^{th}_d$ ☌ ♄$_d$**	♄$_r$ is in the 8th ⚳$_d$ (prof 1st & 8th) ⚻ Illness$_r$ Death$_d$ ⚻ ⚳$_r$ in the radix 8th
14	A Gentleman	MC$_d$ △ ♃$_d$ (L8, Lord Death) **8$^{th}_d$ ☌ ⚳$_d$**	Asc$_r$ critical at 0 ♌, ☽$_d$ ☌ Illness$_r$ ♄$_d$ △ ♆$_r$ while **♅$_d$ △ ♄$_r$ in the 8th** **♅ acting as LoY**
15	Young Man	**☽$_d$ □ ♄$_d$ (LoY)** MC △ ♄	☉$_d$ ☌ Death$_r$ ruled by ♄ (LoY) **♃$_d$ (L8) □ Illness$_r$**
†16	Robert Willoughby	**♄$_d$ ☌ ☊$_d$ (in 8th)** **Accident □ (☿ ☌ Death)$_r$**	Radix ☿ and Death critical in 1st directed ☽ ☌ the Part of Peril

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		$8^{th}{}_d$ ☍ ♆$_r$ (in 1st)	
17	Amelia Farrow	**♂$_d$ (L8) □ Illness$_d$** **$2^{nd}{}_d$ ☌ ♃$_d$ (L1)**	♂ rules profected Asc and both profected and radix 8th ♄ □ Death$_r$ in the *maiora*
18	Child	**☽$_d$ △ ♃$_d$** Asc$_d$ △ (♋$_d$ ☌ Death$_r$) ♂$_d$ (L1/L8) △ MC$_r$	☽ rules 4th, ♃ in profected 8th with ☉ & ♂ (L1/L8)
⸸19	Eliza Ingraham	♀$_d$ (L1/L8) ☌ prof. IC ☉$_d$ ☌ ♀$_r$ (L8) Death$_d$ ☌ ☉$_r$	No dir->dir planetary aspect
20	Mr John Ward	**$12^{th}{}_d$ ☌ ♄$_d$ (L8)** Asc$_d$ ⚻ (☍) ☉$_d$	☿ (L1) and ruler of prof. 8th critical ☉ rules the radix Lot of Death
⸸21	Mr George Golding	♅$_d$ ☌ ♄$_r$ Death$_d$ □ ♆$_r$ (in rad. 8th)	♅ determined to death by opposition to 8th ♃ (L1) ☌ ♆ in the radix 8th no dir->dir planetary aspect
†22	John Davison	**☿$_d$ (L8) □ Accidents$_d$** MC$_d$ ☌ ♅$_d$ ♋$_d$ ☌ ♅$_r$	☿ is critical rules profected Asc and radix 8th
23	Charlotte Booth	♄$_d$ □ ☉$_d$	♄ rules prof. Asc and radix Lot of Death ☉ rules prof. 8th
†⸸24	Female Child	☉$_d$ ☌ IC$_r$ ☽$_d$ (L1) ☌ Death$_r$ ♆$_d$ ✳ (△)♄$_r$ (L8)	Accidents$_d$ ✳ ♅$_r$
25	Elizabeth Thompson	Asc$_d$ ✳ ♃$_d$ ♄$_d$ (L8) ☌ prof. IC (1º) ♂$_d$ □ ♄$_r$ (L8)	♃ is in the radix 12th ☌ ☽ (L1) $3^{rd}{}_d$ ☌ Death$_d$ (3rd is in ♌ which is on the prof. 12th and holds the Lot of Death)
26	Sabina Dayles	♄$_d$ (L8) ☌ ☉$_r$ ♂$_d$ ⚻ Illness$_d$	♂ rules profected 1st and the radix Lot of Death
⸸27	Elizabeth Gilliat	♃$_d$ (L8) ⚺ (△) $8^{th}{}_r$ ♀$_d$ ☌ ♂$_r$	♂ rules prof. 1st and 8th ☉ (Lord of 1st and Death) △ Death in the maiora

- Accident † Drownings ⸸No direct to direct planetary aspect

In all Worsdale included 27 charts in which he gave specific dates for events and of those only one, the second, of an Unamed Lady, did include the date of death. In every case there were directions by OA involving either the radix or profected 8th, L8 or planets in the 8th and the or profected 1st, L1 or planets in the first. In most there was also a direction involving the Lot of Death or its ruler and if there was not one by OA there was one in the *maiora*. There was also, in nearly every case, a direction between *two directed planets*.

This approach, instead of turning the degrees of the planets into OA and taking the difference in degrees as years, moves the whole chart in the primary direction by subtracting the required number of years from the OA and then turning the resulting OA back into zodiacal longitude. Instead of doing this for one planet or another all the planets, houses, and lots are moved the same number of years and then compared to locate partile aspects (that's another thing, no need for “orbs”).

All that is needed is the radix and a set of tables for the various “climes” or latitude and it works fine as

long as you convert the planet OA back to longitude using *their own poles*. The cusps also have their own poles, the Lots and nodes are moved using the birth latitude as the pole.

I hope to work through a number of birth charts, as further examples, covering 10 or so events in each chart, focused only the OA directions with reference to the profected chart at the time of the event and only include the *maiora* if the event is not clear from the directions.